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BOROUGH OF SCUNTHORPE

Statistical Figures

for the Annual Report of the Medical Officer
of Health for the year 1944.



TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH OF SCUNTHORPE IN 1944.

Total Births	1,098
Rate per 1,000 of population	24.00
Rate per 1,000 in other towns of population 25,000 to 50,000	20.9
Rate per 1,000 (England and Wales)	17.6

TOTAL DEATHS IN BOROUGH OF SCUNTHORPE IN 1944.

Total Deaths	395
Rate per 1,000 of population	8.63
Rate per 1,000 in other towns of population 25,000 to 50,000	12.4
Rate per 1,000 (England and Wales)	11.6

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S FIGURES FOR CAUSES OF DEATH DURING 1944.

	M.	F.	T.
1. Typhoid and paratyphoid fevers	-	-	-
2. Cerebro-spinal fever	1	-	1
3. Scarlet fever	-	-	-
4. Whooping Cough	-	2	2
5. Diphtheria	-	-	-
6. Tuberculosis of respiratory system	8	3	11
7. Other forms of Tuberculosis	3	1	4
8. Syphilitic diseases	3	-	3
9. Influenza	3	-	3
10. Measles	-	-	-
11. Acute poliomyelitis and polio-encephalitis	1	-	1
12. Acute infectious encephalitis	-	-	-
13. Cancer of buc. cav. and oesoph: (M) uterus (F)	7	3	10
14. Cancer of stomach and duodenum	10	4	14
15. Cancer of breast	-	3	3
16. Cancer of all other sites	20	11	31
17. Diabetes	1	2	3
18. Intra-cranial vascular lesions	26	19	45
19. Heart Disease	45	42	87
20. Other diseases of the circulatory system	9	3	12
21. Bronchitis	22	6	28
22. Pneumonia	10	5	15
23. Other respiratory diseases	2	1	3
24. Ulcer of stomach or duodenum	3	-	3
25. Diarrhoea under 2 years	1	-	1
26. Appendicitis	1	1	2
27. Other digestive diseases	4	7	11
28. Nephritis	6	6	12
29. Puerperal and post-abortive sepsis	-	1	1
30. Other maternal causes	-	5	5
31. Premature Birth	2	6	8
32. Congenital malformations, birth injuries, infant diseases	9	5	14
33. Suicide	1	2	3
34. Road traffic accidents	1	-	1
35. Other violent causes	5	3	8
36. All other causes	25	25	50
	229	166	395

STATISTICS OF WHOLE DISTRICT, 1944.

Population estimated to middle of year.	Area in Acres.	Density (persons per Acre).	No. of inhabited houses.	No.	Rate per 1,000.	BIRTHS.				DEATHS.				Deaths from all Lung Diseases.	Notifications of Tuberculosis.	Deaths from Cancer.	
45,750*	7,895	5.79	12,450	1,098	24.00	No.	Rate per 1,000.	No.	Live Births.	No.	Rate per 1,000.	At all ages.	Under 1 year of age.	Notified Infectious Diseases.	Deaths from all Lung Diseases.	Notifications of Tuberculosis.	Deaths from Cancer.

*Registrar General's figures used.

**SHOWING THE NUMBER OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES
NOTIFIED BY MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS DURING 1944.**

Disease.	No.
Scarlet Fever	285
Diphtheria	31
Whooping Cough	240
Measles	474
Pneumonia	67
Dysentery	20
Cerebro-spinal Fever	5
Erysipelas	20
Puerperal Pyrexia	8
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	12
Malaria	2
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	43
Non-Pulmonary Tuberculosis	12
Total	1219

SPECIMENS EXAMINED BACTERIOLOGICALLY DURING 1944.

For Venereal Diseases (from doctors excluding V.D. Clinic)	49
For Widal Reaction	-
Cerebro-spinal Fluid	-
Faeces for Dysentery Sonne	201
For Tubercle Bacilli (T.B. Dispensary)	15
Urine and Faeces for Enteric Bacilli	3
For Diphtheria	609
Blood for Culture	-
Milks	18
Drinking Water (Sent by Health Department)	14
Swimming Bath Water	-

TUBERCULOSIS, 1944.

New Cases.			Cases on Borough Register.		Deaths.		
	Non- Pulm.	Total	Pulm.	Non- Pulm.	Pulm.	Non- Pulm.	Total
Pulm.							
43	12	55	231	84	13	3	16

PARKINSON AVENUE SCHOOL CLINIC.

Total Number of Attendances	9,452
Total Number of Patients seen by doctor	537

INFECTIOUS DISEASES—SCHOOL DISTRIBUTION.

Schools.	Scarlet Fever.		Diphtheria.		Measles.		German Measles.		Mumps.		Chicken Pox.		Whooping Cough.		Observations.		Cerebro-spinal Dysentery.	
	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.
Crosby Boys ...	2	7	-	1	3	9	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crosby Girls ...	10	16	-	-	6	14	3	3	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Crosby Infants ...	11	39	1	2	23	46	12	19	18	29	2	6	19	73	2	4	-	-
Henderson Ave. Junior..	9	16	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8	8	-	5	1	1	-
Henderson Ave. Infants	10	26	-	-	41	47	7	9	-	-	21	41	18	38	3	6	1	1
Gurnell Street Boys ...	3	8	-	-	1	1	1	2	1	2	-	-	2	4	-	-	-	-
Gurnell Street Girls ...	6	12	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Gurnell Street Infants...	12	42	-	1	20	22	16	22	-	-	27	58	19	30	2	2	-	-
Doncaster Road Boys ...	7	13	1	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Doncaster Road Girls ...	8	23	1	3	2	5	3	4	3	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
Bottesford ...	8	27	-	-	5	12	-	-	-	-	10	15	-	-	2	2	-	-
Frodingham Infants ...	29	65	-	-	105	73	2	3	-	-	2	2	21	71	1	3	-	1
Brumby Boys ...	4	13	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Brumby Junior Mixed ...	17	36	1	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	5	-	-	-	-
Ashby Boys ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ashby Girls ...	12	36	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	2	-	-	5	4	1	2
Ashby Junior Mixed ...	5	16	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	2	4	-	-	-	-
Ashby Infants ...	32	70	2	4	98	312	38	60	3	3	8	12	71	134	9	12	-	7
Modern ...	3	7	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grammar ...	9	14	-	-	1	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Santon Terrace ...	2	5	-	-	1	1	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	199	491	8	27	306	544	95	137	25	37	84	153	157	368	25	34	2	4

TOTAL MONTHLY INCIDENCE OF ALL KNOWN INFECTIOUS DISEASES AND VISITS

PAID DURING 1944 IN THE BOROUGH OF SCUNTHORPE.

Month.	Scarlet Fever.		Diphtheria.		Pneumonia.		P. Pyrexia.		Oph. Neon.		Erysipelas.		C.S.F.		Discharge. Eyes		Measles (& Germ.)	
	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.
January	11	40	2	5	2	-	1	6	-	2	3	4	-	3	-	4	6	-
February	13	37	5	13	10	-	2	4	1	3	2	14	3	1	-	3	7	-
March	22	60	4	20	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	80	-
April	22	70	3	13	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	107	-
May	9	30	5	16	14	-	1	1	5	76	-	-	-	-	2	59	66	-
June	11	16	3	11	3	-	-	-	3	62	4	3	-	-	-	19	32	-
July	30	61	3	9	5	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	-
August	25	61	2	16	4	-	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	4	-	2	3	-
September	39	90	2	14	3	-	-	-	1	22	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	41	103	-	18	6	-	-	-	-	6	2	3	1	2	-	49	48	-
November	30	69	-	3	5	-	3	-	1	-	2	-	-	2	-	182	120	-
December	32	43	2	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	3	-	262	214	-
Total	285	680	31	146	67	-	8	13	12	180	20	34	5	15	3	13	693	689

TOTAL MONTHLY INCIDENCE OF ALL KNOWN INFECTIOUS DISEASES AND VISITS

PAID DURING 1944 IN THE BOROUGH OF SCUNTHORPE.

Month.	Whooping Cough.		Mumps.		Chicken Pox		Dysen- tery.		Observ- ations.		Typh- Conts.		Sept. Abort.		Malaria.	
	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.	C.	V.
January	23	42	-	-	9	22	-	-	3	7	1	12	-	-	1	-
February	36	80	-	-	12	13	-	-	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	64	188	-	-	11	27	1	4	5	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	18	82	-	-	2	3	-	-	2	7	-	-	1	3	-	-
May	56	103	2	1	5	13	-	-	7	9	-	-	-	-	1	-
June	65	147	1	1	18	26	-	-	6	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	24	94	5	3	29	38	6	44	6	13	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	7	29	-	-	6	8	8	52	5	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	2	5	1	2	1	4	-	22	5	25	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	2	3	4	5	2	6	4	26	8	17	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	4	2	7	17	4	1	1	15	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	4	7	8	8	1	9	-	-	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	303	762	28	37	100	170	20	163	64	124	1	12	1	3	2	-

NOTIFIED CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES FOR 1944.

AGE AND SEX DISTRIBUTION.

	Scarlet Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping Cough.		Measles (excluding Rubella).		Acute Polio- myelitis.		Acute Polio- encephalitis.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Total Civilians and Non-Civilians (all ages)	121	164	17	14	109	131	250	224	-	-	-	-
0—	1	-	-	-	5	19	9	7	-	-	-	-
1—	5	6	1	2	31	32	30	31	-	-	-	-
3—	16	27	-	1	34	33	58	51	-	-	-	-
5—	60	74	4	1	37	43	142	116	-	-	-	-
10—	28	40	2	2	1	1	7	8	-	-	-	-
15—	4	6	6	4	-	-	2	5	-	-	-	-
25 and over	7	11	4	4	1	3	2	6	-	-	-	-
Age unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total civilians	121	164	17	14	109	131	250	224	-	-	-	-
Non-civilians:												
15—	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 and over (or N.K.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total non-civilians	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

	Enteric or typhoid fever.				Paratyphoid fevers.				Ac. Pneumonia.				Dysentery.				Cerebro- spinal fever.				Ac. encephalitis lethargica.			
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Total Civilians and Non-Civilians (all ages)	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	21	7	13	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0—	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5—	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	2	2	8	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15—	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	6	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45—	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total civilians	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	20	7	13	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-civilians:																								
15— (or N.K.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total non-civilians	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Other notifiable diseases. Civilians:	Originally notified		Final Nos. after correction	
	M.	F.	M.	F.
Puerperal pyrexia ...	-	9	-	8

Ophthalmia neonatorum	6	6	6	6
Malaria ...	1	-	1	-
Non-Civilians:				
Puerperal pyrexia ...	-	-	-	-
Malaria ...	1	-	1	-

Total Civilians and Non-Civilians (all ages)	Erysipelas		Smallpox.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.
...	6	14	-	-

0—	-	-	-	-
5—	1	-	-	-
15—	1	4	-	-
45—	3	9	-	-
65 and over	1	1	-	-
Age unknown	-	-	-	-
Total civilians	6	14	-	-

Non-Civilians:				
15—(or N.K.)	-	-	-	-
45 and over	-	-	-	-
Total Non-Civilians	-	-	-	-

DIPHTHERIA PROPHYLAXIS.

Borough of Scunthorpe.

Return for twelve months ending 31st December, 1944.

	Age under 5 years.	Age 5 yrs. and over, but under 15.	Total.
1. Number of children (including temporary residents) who completed the full course of immunisation in the Authority's area between 1st January and 31st December, 1944.	661	98	759
2. (A) Approximate estimated number of children in the Authority's area at 31st December, 1944.	4,354	Between Under 5 5 & 15	7,413
(B) What percentage of the child population shown under (A) is t considered were immunised at 31st December, 1944? ...	82.22	56.02	
3. (A) Number of cases of diphtheria in children under 15 years of age notified between 1st January and 31st December, 1944.			14
(B) Number of cases included in (A) in which the child is known to have completed the course of immunisation not less than 12 weeks before the onset of the disease.			—
(C) Number of deaths from diphtheria, registered in the Authority's area between 1st January and 31st December, 1944, of children under 15 years of age.			—
(D) Number of deaths included in (C) in which the child is known to have completed the course of immunisation not less than 12 weeks before the onset of the disease.			—

VENEREAL DISEASES.

Return relating to all persons who were treated at the Treatment Centre at Scunthorpe during the year ended the 31st December, 1944.

	Syphilis		Soft Chancres		Gonorrhœa		Non-venereal or undiagnosed Conditions		Totals	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F. Totals
1. Number of cases on 1st January under treatment or observation	37(1)	27	0	0	7	15	8	22	52	64 116
2. Number of cases removed from the register during any previous year which returned during the year under report for treatment or observation of the same infection	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3. Number of cases dealt with for the first time during the year under report (exclusive of cases under Item 4) suffering from:—										
Syphilis, primary	9	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	4 13
" secondary	2	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	8 10
" latent in 1st year of infection	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	0 0
" all later stages	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3 6
" congenital	0	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	1 1
Soft Chancres	—	—	0	0	—	—	—	—	0	0 0
Gonorrhœa, 1st year of infection	—	—	—	28	14	14	—	—	28	14 42
" later	—	—	—	0	0	0	—	—	0	0 0
Non-venereal conditions	—	—	—	—	—	—	38	38	53	38 91
Conditions remaining undiagnosed at 31st December	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	23	5	23 28
4. Number of cases dealt with for the first time during the year under report known to have received treatment for the same infection, or to have been under observation at other Centres or Service Hospitals, or by General Practitioners approved under Ministry of Health Circular 2226	4(2)	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	1 6
TOTALS OF ITEMS 1, 2, 3 and 4	55	44	0	0	36	27	66	83	157	156 213

	Syphilis		Soft Chancres		Gonorrhoea		Non-venereal or undiagnosed Conditions		Totals	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F. Totals
5. Number of cases discharged after completion of treatment and final tests of cure or after diagnosis as non-venereal	8	1	0	0	11	7	61	59	80	67 147
6. Number of cases which ceased to attend before completion of treatment and were, on first attendance, suffering from:—										
Syphilis, primary	1	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	0 1
" secondary	0	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	1 1
" latent in 1st year of infection	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	0 0
" all later stages	5	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	0 5
" congenital	0	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	2 2
Soft Chancres	—	—	0	0	—	—	—	—	0	0 0
Gonorrhoea, 1st year of infection	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	9	0 9
" later	—	—	—	—	0	0	—	—	0	0 0
7. Number of cases which ceased to attend after completion of treatment but before final test of cure	0	2	0	0	6	3	—	—	6	5 11
8. Number of cases transferred to other Centres or to institutions, or to care of private practitioners.	6(2)	4	0	0	1	2	0	1	7	7 14
9. Number of cases remaining under treatment or observation on 31st December	35	34	0	0	9	17	5	23	49	74 123
TOTALS OF ITEMS 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9										
(These totals should agree with those of Items 1, 2, 3 & 4)	55	44	0	0	36	29	66	83	157	156 213
10. Number of attendances:—										
(a) for individual attention of the medical officer(s)	1160	703	0	0	141	224	264	327	1565	1254 2819
(b) for intermediate treatment, e.g., irrigation, dressing	0	0	0	0	149	0	143	0	292	0 292
TOTAL ATTENDANCES	1160	703	0	0	290	224	407	327	1857	1254 3111

11. In-patients:—

- (a) Total number of persons admitted for treatment during the year
 (b) Aggregate number of "in-patient days" of treatment given

12. Number of cases of congenital syphilis in Item 3 above classified according to age periods

13. Pathological Work:—

- (a) Number of specimens examined at, and by the medical officer of, the Treatment Centre
 (b) Number of specimens from patients attending at the Treatment Centre sent for examination to an approved laboratory (if available)

Statement showing the services rendered at the Treatment Centre during the year, classified according to the areas in which the patients resided.

LINDSEY COUNTY COUNCIL:

A. Number of cases from each area included under the following headings in Item 3:—
 Syphilis, 30; Soft Chancre, 0; Gonorrhoea, 40; Non-venereal and undiagnosed conditions, 125; Total, 195.

B. Total number of attendances of all patients residing in each area, 3,111.

Syphilis M.	F.	Soft Chancre		Gonorrhoea		Non-venereal or undiagnosed Conditions		Totals	
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	2
0	0	0	0	14	23	0	0	14	28
Under 1 & under 5 years		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1 year		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 years and over		0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Totals		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**REPORT OF WORK DONE BY SANITARY INSPECTOR.
for the year 1944.**

Total No. of new houses erected during the year	nil
(1) By the Local Authority	nil
(2) By other Local Authorities	nil
(3) By other bodies or persons	nil
1. Inspection of Dwellinghouses during the year:—	
(1) (a) Total number of dwellinghouses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts)	1098
(b) Number of inspections made for the purpose ...	2937
(2) (a) No. of dwellinghouses (included under Sub-Head (1) above) which were inspected and recorded under the Housing Consolidated Regulations, 1925	nil
(3) Number of dwellinghouses found to be in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation	nil
(4) No. of dwellinghouses (exclusive of those referred to under the preceeding sub-head) found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation ...	nil
2. Remedy of defects during the year without service of Formal Notices:—	
No. of Defective Dwellinghouses rendered fit in consequence of formal action by the Local Authority or their Officers	186
3. Action under Statutory Powers during the year:—	
(a) Proceedings under Sections 9, 10 and 36 of the Housing Act, 1936:—	
(1) No. of dwellinghouses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs	nil
(2) No. of dwellinghouses which were rendered fit after service of formal notices:—	
(a) by owners	nil
(b) by Local Authority in default of owners ...	nil
(b) Proceedings under Public Health Acts:—	
(1) No. of dwellinghouses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied ...	45
(2) No. of dwellinghouses in which defects were remedied after service of formal notices:—	
(a) by owners	45
(b) by Local Authority in default of owners ...	nil
(c) Proceedings under sections 11 and 13 of the Housing Act, 1936:—	
(1) No. of dwellinghouses in respect of which Demolition Orders were made	nil
(2) No. of dwellinghouses demolished in pursuance of Demolition Orders	1
(3) No. of dwellinghouses subject to undertakings	nil

(d) Proceedings under section 12 of the Housing Act, 1936:—	
(1) No. of separate tenements or underground rooms in respect of which Closing Orders were made	nil
(2) No. of separate tenements or undergrounds rooms in respect of which Closing Orders were determined, the tenement or room having been rendered fit	nil

4. Housing Act, 1936—Part IV—Overcrowding.

(a) (1) No. of dwellinghouses overcrowded at the end of the year	—
(2) No. of families dwelling therein	—
(3) No. of persons dwelling therein	—
(b) No. of new cases of overcrowding reported during the year	—
(c) (1) No. of cases of overcrowding relieved during the year	—
(2) No. of person concerned in such cases	—
(d) No. of houses again overcrowded after being previously relieved	—

COMMON LODGING-HOUSES.

No. registered under by-laws	1
No. of inspections made	56
No. of contraventions of by-laws	nil
No. of contraventions remedied	nil

CANAL BOATS USED AS DWELLINGHOUSES.

No. registered under Acts	nil
No. of inspections	nil
No. of contraventions of regulations	nil
No. of contraventions remedied	nil

MOVABLE DWELLINGS, TENTS, VANS, ETC.

No. of inspections during year	3
No. of nuisances therefrom abated.	nil
No. removed from district	3

BAKEHOUSES.

No. in district	17
No. of underground bakehouses	nil
No. of inspections	36
Contraventions of Factory Acts	6
Defects remedied	6

SLAUGHTERHOUSES.

No. on Register	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12
No. of inspections	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	at times of slaughter	
Contraventions of by-laws	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
Defects remedied	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil

COWSHEDS.

No. on register	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
No. of inspections	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
Contraventions of regulations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
Contraventions remedied	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
No. of milch cows in district	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44

DAIRIES AND MILK SHOPS.

No. on register	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
No. of inspections	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Contraventions of regulations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
Contraventions remedied	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
Any instance of disease attributed to milk during the year	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil

UNSOUND FOOD.

Carcases Inspected and Condemned.

	Cattle excluding			Sheep and	
	Cows.	Cows.	Calves.	Lambs.	Pigs.
Number killed if known	3278	737	409	10373	1000
Number inspected	3278	737	409	10373	1000
All diseases except Tuberculosis:					
Whole carcases condemned	9	23	8	30	24
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	249	162	3	26	56
Percentage of the number inspected affected with tuberculosis	7.8	25.1	2.6	0.5	8.0
Tuberculosis only:					
Whole carcases condemned	7	28	3	1	14
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	662	412	1	—	57
Percentage of the number inspected affected with tuberculosis	20.4	50.9	0.99	0.009	7.1
1,575 pigs killed on private premises for home consumption.					

OFFENSIVE TRADES.

No. of premises in district	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46
No. of inspections	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54
Contraventions of by-laws	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
Contraventions remedied	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil

SHOPS ACT, 1934.

Number of shops inspected	Inspections carried out by part-time inspectors
Additional heating or ventilation..	not responsible to the
Additional sanitary conveniences..	Health Committee.

WATER SUPPLY.

Wells.

New sunk	nil
Cleansed, repaired	nil
Closed as polluted	nil

Public Supply.

Area supplied	Mains throughout district
Percentage of houses supplied	99.8
New Cisterns	nil
Cisterns cleansed, repaired, covered, etc.	nil
Number of samples obtained for analysis	11
(a) from wells	nil
(b) from public supply	11
Any insufficiency and where	nil

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE.

CLOSETS.

No. of houses with privy vaults in district	nil
No. of houses with pail closets in district	75
No. of pail closets substituted for privy vaults	nil
No. of pail closets repaired.	2
No. of water closets substituted for dry receptacles	nil
No. of houses with water closets in district	12250
No. of water closets repaired	63

DRAINS.

Drains examined, tested, exposed, etc.	2
Drains unstopped, repaired, trapped, etc.	695
Waste pipes, rain water pipes disconnected, repaired, etc.	46
New soil pipes or ventilating shafts fixed	nil
Existing soil pipes or ventilating shafts repaired	nil
Drains reconstructed	1

SEWERS.

New lengths of sewer laid	nil
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TANKS, FILTER BEDS, ETC.

Alterations to sewage disposal works	nil
Any inadequacy of sewage disposal works or complaints as to smells	nil

CESSPOOLS.

Cesspools rendered impervious	nil
Cesspools emptied, cleansed, etc.	nil
Cesspools abolished	nil

DISINFECTION.

Rooms disinfected	343
(a) ordinary infectious disease	338
(b) tuberculosis	5
Rooms stripped and cleansed	38
Articles disinfected or destroyed	152
(a) ordinary infectious disease	151
(b) tuberculosis	1

HOUSE REFUSE.

No. of covered ashpits	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
No. of uncovered ashpits	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
No. of bins substituted for ashpits	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	nil
No. of houses using bins	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12250
Is refuse removed by householders or by public scavenger?...Public Scavenger									
How frequently is refuse removed from each house?...Weekly									
No. of complaints of non-removal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39
Method of final disposal Controlled Tipping									
Are existing arrangements for refuse removal satisfactory?...Yes									

NUISANCES.

Total Number of Nuisances during the year:—

(1) Abated as result of informal action by Sanitary Inspector	1210
(2) Reported to Council—Statutory notice issued	21
Statutory notice not issued	189

DETAILS OF NUISANCES ABATED.

	After informal Intimation.	After Statutory Notice
Overcrowding	-	-
Smoke	4	3
Accumulation of refuse	4	-
Foul ditches, ponds and stagnant water	-	-
Foul pigs and other animals	1	-
Dampness	54	10
Yards repaved or repaired	3	1
Other nuisances	1144	41

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